

FINAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

The Initial Statement of Reasons is incorporated by reference.

The California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) proposes to amend Sections 3000 and 3075 of the California Code of Regulations (CCR), Title 15, Division 3, Chapter 1, concerning Initial Intake and County Reimbursements. This rulemaking action will provide regulatory authority, per by Penal Code Section 4016.5(a), to carry out the necessary intake and reimbursement processes more effectively within the institutions.

UPDATES TO THE INITIAL STATEMENT OF REASONS

On September 27, 2013 the Notice of Proposed Regulations (NCR) for Initial Intake and County Reimbursements was published, which began the public comment period. The Department's NCR# 13-02 was mailed the same day, in addition to being posted on the Department's internet and intranet websites. The public hearing was held on November 21, 2013. No individuals provided verbal comments.

During the 45-day public comment period, No written comments were received.

DETERMINATION

The Department has determined that no alternative considered would be more effective in carrying out the purpose for which the regulation is proposed or would be as effective and less burdensome to affected private persons than the adopted regulations or and would be more cost effective to affected private persons and equally effective in implementing the statutory policy or other provision of law.

ASSESSMENTS, MANDATES, AND FISCAL IMPACT

This action will neither create nor eliminate jobs in the State of California, nor result in the elimination of existing businesses, or create or expand businesses in the State of California.

The Department, in proposing amendments to these regulations, has not identified nor has it relied upon any technical, theoretical, or empirical study, report, or similar document.

The Department determines this action imposes no mandates on local agencies or school districts; no fiscal impact on State or local government, or Federal funding to the State, or private persons. It is also determined that this action does not affect small businesses nor have a significant adverse economic impact on businesses, including the ability of California businesses to compete with businesses in other states because they are not affected by the internal management of State prisons; and no costs or reimbursements to any local agency or school district within the meaning of Government Code Section 17561. The Department has determined that the proposed action will have no significant effect on housing costs. Additionally, there has been no testimony or other evidence provided that would alter the Department's initial determination.

PUBLIC HEARING COMMENTS

Public Hearing: November 21, 2013

No verbal comments were received at the public hearing.